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<b>(54) Title:</b> <b>PHARMACEUTICAL TABLET CAPABLE OF LIBERATING ONE OR MORE DRUGS AT DIFFERENT RELEASE RATES</b>  <b>(57) Abstract</b>  Pharmaceutical tablet consisting of a first layer containing one or more drugs with immediate or controlled release formulation, a second layer containing one or more drugs, either equal to or different from the first layer, with slow release formulation, and a low-permeability barrier-type layer coating said second layer or, alternatively, placed between the first and second layer and, if necessary, containing a drug.		